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In spite of the continuing cold weather, Soviet troops have already put in an appearance at the Ohrdruf training grounds, apparently to make ready for the spring maneuvers. They consist chiefly of engineer units and for the present are stationed in the environs of Ohrdruf. The first troop movements were observed on 3 Feb 54. Altogether, up to 5 Feb 54, 102 trucks and 4 caterpillar tractors arrived. The trucks are parked near the old shooting lodge Alter Schützenhofs (see map) except about 20 which are parked at Gräfenhain.

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